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For USE OF DNA ENCODING PLASTID PYRUVATE DEHYDROGENASE AND BRANCHED CHAIN OXOACID DEHYDROGENASE COMPONENTS TO ENHANCE POLYHYDROXYALKANOATE BIOSYNTHESIS IN PLANTS

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TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS, SIR:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

The references listed on the attached PTO-1449 have been previously submitted in parent application Serial No. 09/108,020 and, therefore, in accordance with MPEP 609, are not being provided at this time.

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